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A New Year.

When law call the attention of the readers to the importance of vaccination, in order that they may thereby secure the measurable protection it gives against small-pox, and because the degree of protection it gives may now be had without the danger of being inoculated with some terrible disease that has always attended the use of humerized vaccine. The thirty establishments in the United States where vaccine is taken direct from thoroughly healthy calves or young cattle, afford an abundant supply, stored on ivory points, and obtainable by all druggists and physicians, at a very moderate cost. The fact of having been vaccinated years since does not afford proof of continued safety, and while successful vaccination is not an infallible safeguard against small-pox, it renders its fatal termination, if contracted, highly improbable.

Vaccination should be avoided when the system is suffering from manifestations of a tendency to erysipelas or inflammation of any kind. As a rule children while teething should not be vaccinated.

We also again remind our readers of the fact that a pinch of powdered sulphur put in the foot of each stocking whenever they are changed, is, to a very considerable extent, absorbed by the system, and is a most effective preventive against the contraction of very nearly all contagious diseases. Sulphur purified by precipitation (precipitated sulphur) is the best.

The recent great tide of immigration to this country has resulted in a great importation and very general spread of smallpox. During the year 1880 there were but sixty-seven cases of smallpox reported in New York City, while for the year 1881, there have been over thirteen hundred cases reported.—[American Sentry.]

—PETERSON'S MAGAZINE for February is already before us, more brilliant than ever. Nothing could excel the principal steel plate, "Fast Caught," or the sparkling story it illustrates. The colored pattern in Kensington stitch, "Design For Pansies," is one of those costly things found only in "Peterson." The literary matter is even better than usual. Both the novels, that by Mrs. Stephens, and that by Mrs. Austin, increase in power as they go on. The other stories are all superior, those by Frank Lee Benedict and Mrs. Demeritt especially so. The illustrations for fashions, for work-table patterns, etc., etc., number nearly fifty, and are alone worth the price of the number. It is a standing wonder to us how so fine a magazine can be published at so low a price: the puzzle is only to be explained by the immense circulation "Peterson" has attained; the ladies have learned that they cannot afford to be without it. If you have not subscribed for it already, lose no time, but subscribe at once. Our Treasurers, Clubs, and Earned Ranges, etc. There is a special law now in force allowing Boards in a few counties to publish the proceedings, provided the publisher will do it for the pitiful sum of \$100. This is unjust to the pa-

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where the "Cras" in 1882. exchange, and from parties who have lately visited the Crescent City, we learn the greatest activity exists among the officials of Carnival Court, and the whole city already resounds with the din of preparation for this, the Carnival of 1882, which is to eclipse all preceding ones in the grandeur of its conception, the magnificence of its pageants, and the unparalleled gorgeousness of its Oriental spectacular displays.

The city is just entering on an era of improvement and success, and the different secret organizations have determined that the Carnival of this year shall be in keeping with the spirit of advancement which is manifested in all business enterprises, and has given new life to the winter city of this Continent and the favorite capital of "His Majesty King Rex."

This year, the Gods and Goddesses of Mirth and Jollity have taken the Seasons under their special control, and the heavens smile propitiously on the fast-coming festivities.

The programme will open on Thursday evening, February 16th, with a grand illuminated street pageant and moving tableaux, by the Knights of Momus, a society rivaling the Mysterious Krew of Comus in the splendor and brilliancy with which they carry out every detail of the living pictures they represent, and whose very name is a guarantee for an entertainment, wonderful in its magnificence and instructive in its subject. This display is looked forward to with much interest as the general introduction of the Electric light at the hotels, theatres and prominent business houses, will of itself be a feature of the evening and will add a thousand fold to the magnificence of the display.

After the street parade, there will be tableaux and a grand "Bal Masque" at the French Opera House, and the week will be filled out by a series of balls and public entertainments which will give amusements to all.

On Monday, Feb. 20th, at about 2 p.m., amid the booming of cannon, the salutes of the steamers and shipping, the cheers of the gathered multitude, the waving of handkerchiefs and smiles of the assembled beauty of New Orleans, the "Good King Rex," the glorious Monarch of the Carnival, will disembark at the head of Canal street, where he will be received with military honors by the National Guard, after which, surrounded by the troops of his household, and escorted by the State military, he will pass through the principal streets to the City Hall, where he will be met by the Mayor and city officials, and will there receive from them the keys of the city, and resume the power delegated to them before leaving for his Eastern home last year.

In the evening, the new society, "The Knights of Proteus," will make their first appearance in a grand illuminated street pageant.

On Tuesday, February 21st, at noon, the revelry and jollity of "Mardi-Gras" will take shape under the control of "King Rex," when he assumes personal command of his loving subjects, and crowned with jewels, and decked in crimson and gold, he moves with majestic mien and kingly grace through the streets of his favorite city, accompanied by gorgeously attired courtiers, members of his household, slaves, etc., and guarded by squadrons of his choicest and bravest troops, chosen from the chivalry of every land, and speaking every language under the sun. Words are not adequate to the description of the grandeur of the scene, the richness of the dresses, the brightness of the arms and armor, the all the glamour and splendor of the brightest

story of the "Arabian Knights," increased by childish imagination, are here surpassed, and the looker-on leaves the fairy scene almost surfeited with the beauties he has witnessed, while "Rex" and his court (as is usual) retires in favor of his cousin, COMUS.

As the procession disappears in the distance, and the crowd disperses for rest and refreshment, darkness creeps over the gay city, and now lights begin to glimmer, and building after building is illuminated until the streets are a blaze of light, and the crowd begins once more to gather for the crowning entertainment of the day.

"The Mystic Krew of Comus" is the veteran spectacular organization of America, and its displays are looked forward to as the event of the Carnival. This year they will excel all former efforts, and present a series of tableaux that will surpass in beauty and richness the pen pictures of Byron or the wealth of Moore, and must be seen to be appreciated.

The Grand Ball, at the Opera House, and masked balls at the Academy of Music, St. Charles Theatre, and a dozen other places will wind up the day's pleasure.

Wednesday, February 22d, the local and visiting military will celebrate Washington's Birthday, and the display promises to surpass any former parade of our State troops.

The series of holidays will close with the anniversary and grand procession of the New Orleans Fire Department, on the 4th of March, which will be on a scale as elegant and imposing as has ever been witnessed, and will be in keeping with the entertainments preceding it.

The officers of the Great Jackson Route awake to the interest they control, have placed tickets on sale at all stations at rates enabling all to join in the festivities of the Carnival.

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—A Hartford lady, who went out the city, for the first time, to see her country cousin, was invited to take a walk in the potato patch. She declined; alledging that she read in an agricultural paper that potatoes had eyes.

—A Denver editor has been arrested for calling a deacon "a nice old rooster." It was a fowl slander, no doubt.

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